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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, MARCH 22ND, 1889.

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二十二日三英港香

PRICE \$2^{1/2} PER MONTH

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

March 23, HATTIE E. TAYLOR, British brigantine, J. McCausley, Saudeka 29th January, Timber—GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., March 20, BYGLA, German bark, 333, P. Weiss, Kiel 17th March, Coal—WIELKE & Co., March 21, ELECTRA, German steamer, 1,446, P. Müller, Kiel 14th March, General—SIEGMANN & Co., March 21, ZAFIRO, British str., 675, McCaslin, Manila 19th March, General—RUSSELL & Co., March 21, FU-TENG, Chinese steamer, 890, Graham, Whampoa 21st March, General—C. M. S. N. Co., March 21, NANSEAN, British str., 808, Young, Bangkok 14th March, Rice—HON HING, HONG, March 21, PRESTON, German steamer, 2,873, C. Pohle, Bremen 6th February, Antwerp 9th, Genoa 18th, Port Said 25th, Aden 3rd March, Colombo 10th, and Singapore 16th, Mails and General—MELCHERS & Co.,

CLEARANCES

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.
21ST MARCH.

Glenlyon, British str., for Singapore.

Fornosa, British str., for Swatow.

Kong Bouy, British str., for Swatow.

DEPARTURES.

March 21, YANGTZE, German str., for Whampoa.

March 21, KAIFONG, British str., for Tientsin.

March 21, RAMBLER, British g.m., for a cruise.

March 21, DECCAN, British str., for Yokohama.

March 21, CINTAU, German br., for Bangkok.

March 21, GLENLYON, British str., for London.

PASSENGERS.

Per Zafiro, str. from Manila—Mr. Bernardo Nunez, Mr. Silvestre, an 100 Chinese deck.

Per Fornosa, str. from Bremen, for Mr. and Mrs. Scip. Connel, Giles and family, Mr. Miller and daughter, Mr. Carroll and family Messrs. L. E. Fahl, J. Gossman, L. P. Michel, Boettcher, E. Almeida, Banquier, Wall, Harling, G. Sierich, H. Sierich, and Grossmann, and 249 Chinese.

REPORTS.

The British steamer *Zafiro*, from Manila 14th March, reports had fresh northerly winds to Cape Padar; hence to Ladrones light N.E. winds and fine weather.

The British steamer *Zafiro*, from Manila 14th March, reports first part of passage experienced light rain and smooth sea; latter part fresh wind from N.E. with moderate sea and cloudy weather.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHEI DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the PUNJOM AND SUNGHEI DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, which was called for the 18th instant has been adjourned until and will be held THIS DAY (FRIDAY, MARCH 23) at 10 A.M. at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, when the subjunctive resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 25th of February last, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.

RESOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$600,000, locally current in the Colony of Hongkong, by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$30 each. Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the Meeting sanctioning the increase of Capital, all New Shares shall be offered to the Members in proportion to the existing Shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of Shares to which each Member is entitled, and the time within which the offer if accepted will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the Shares offered, such Share shall be dealt with by the Directors in their discretion.

Dated the 22nd day of March, 1889.

By Order of the Board,
A. O'D. GOURDIN,
Secretary.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHEI DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the above mentioned Resolution for the increase of the Capital of the Company be confirmed, the SHARE REGISTER of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd day of March instant to the 19th day of April next, both inclusive, instead of as previously advertised.

Dated the 18th day of March, 1889.

By Order of the Board,
A. O'D. GOURDIN,
Secretary.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), 23rd March, at TWELVE o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager, and of Declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 9th to 23rd instant, both days inclusive.

RUSSELL & CO.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, 7th March, 1889.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), 23rd March, at TWELVE o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 23rd instant, both days inclusive.

RUSSELL & CO.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, 5th March, 1889.

THE CHINA BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE STATUTORY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL on SATURDAY, the 20th inst. at 6.30 P.M.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents in Hongkong, 12th March, 1889.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS.

The Shop TAI SHING, dealing in CHINESE Goods, established at Penang, No. 21, Parkurst Street, from September of last year and without any branch elsewhere, is NOT RESPONSIBLE for any LOANS or DEBTS of whatever nature which may be drawn or made by its Employees as it is not wanted Loans or Debts at all times.

564 TAI SHING.

INTIMATIONS.

THREE IMPORTANT FACTS ABOUT THE STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

1.—HALF A MILLION STELLING per annum is being paid in Death Insurance by year.

2.—THE FUNDS IN HAND amount to upwards of Six Million and Three-quarter pounds Sterling and have increased 50 per cent. in the last 15 years.

3.—THE LIVES who die are annually replaced by more than double the number of fresh carefully selected lives.

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED
Agents, Hongkong.

BANKS.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$7,500,000

RESERVE FUND 4,500,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:

W. H. FORBES, Esq.—Chairman.

Hon. John Bellivington, Esq.

T. E. Davies, Esq.—Deputy Chairman.

J. F. Holiday, Esq.

N. A. Sibley, Esq.

Hon. B. Leyton, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

G. E. NOBLE, Esq.

MANAGER.

Shanghai—EVAN CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of

3 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance.

For Current Deposit Account:

For 1 month 3 per Cent. per Annum.

For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum.

For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

DEAFTS granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

G. E. NOBLE, Esq.—Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 8th March, 1889.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days 10 to 3; Saturdays 10 to 1.

2.—Sum less than \$3, or more than \$250 at one time, will not be accepted. No deposit more than \$250 in any one day.

3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4.—Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their deposits.

5.—Depositors will be supplied gratis with a Pass Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank will be forwarded free by the various Banks, Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.—Withdrawals will be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

G. E. NOBLE, Esq.—Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1889.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTOMIZED CAPITAL \$2,000,000

PAID UP CAPITAL 2,500,000

REGISTERED OFFICE, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON.

MARTINI HENRY RIFLES.

Government Military Pattern.

MARTINI HENRY MATCH RIFLES.

Steel Barrels and Platinum finished sights, each rifle supplied with front and side protectors, Jig and Barrel brush.

MARTINI HENRY BALL RIFLE.

CARTRIDGES.

RIFLE CASES, CARTRIDGE BAGS,

SHOOTING BOOTS,

WATER PROOF SHEETS, &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, 27th February, 1889.

W. BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED

Engineer's Almanack, 1889.

Yacht's Almanack, 1889.

Weather Almanac for Watchers.

Mr.'s Marine Painting.

Sets of Wonders in Case.

Boydell Shakespeare, finely illustrated.

The Telephone by Preco.

Stephen's Law of Evidence.

W. P. Frith's Autobiography.

Dyer's Folk Lore of Plants.

Handbook for Buyers and Sellers.

Handbook for Executors and Trustees.

Modern Architecture.

Mark Twain's Birthday Book.

New Songs, New Dance Music.

New Violin and Piano Music.

New Ebony and Gold Piano, by Collard and Collard.

New Walnut Piano, by Collard & Collard.

New Black and Gold Piano, by Straus for

cash cheap or on monthly purchase system.

Sweet Caporal Cigarettes at 25 cents.

WALTER W. BREWER,
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

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FOR SALE.

SCOTCH WHISKY VESSEL

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN
AND THE COLOMBIES.

THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Bills and Notes, Letters of Exchange, Issues of Credit, forward Bills for Collection, and Transports Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

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FOR 1889.
WITH CHINA DIRECTORY.
TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL ISSUE,
COMBINED WITH APPENDIX, PLANS, &c.,
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SMALLER EDITION, ROYAL SW. P. 820. . . \$3.00.

THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY
has been thoroughly revised and brought up
to date and again much increased in bulk.
It contains DESCRIPTIVE and STATISTICAL
ACCOUNTS of, and DIRECTORIES for
HONGKONG—JAPAN—
Do. Ladies' Directory Nagasaki.
Do. Peak Directory Kobo (Hyogo).
Do. Military Forces Osaka.
MACAO—
TOM.—
Paklo.
Hoikow.
Whampoa.
Canton.
Swallow.
Amoy.
Takao.
Inwanfan.
Tunghai.
Kukung.
Poochow.
Wenchow.
Ningpo.
Shanghai.
Chinkiang.
Wuhu.
Kinkink.
Hew.
Luchow.
Chungking.
Choochow.
Taik.
Tientsin.
Feking.
Wei Hsi Wei.
Port Arthur.
Newchwang.
Glossy—
Stev.
Chemulpo.
Fusan.
Yuensan.
NAVAL SQUADRONS—
British. French.
United States. German.
Japanes. Chinese Northern.
SHIPING—Officers of the Coasting Steamers of
P. & O. S. N. Co. Siamese & Co.
Indo-China S. N. Co. H. C. & M. S. B. Co.
Dough S. S. Co. Scottish Oriental S. C. Co.
China M. S. N. Co. Miscellaneous Coast Stras.
The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains
the names of over . . .

FOURTEEN THOUSAND AND SIX HUNDRED
FOREIGNERS
strangled under one Alphabet in the strictest
order, the initial as well as the surnames
being alphabetical.

The MAPS and PLANS have been mostly
re-drawn in a superior style and brought up
to date. They now consist of

FLAG OF MERCANTILE HOUSES IN CHINA.
CODE OF SIGNALS IN USE AT VICTORIA PEAK.
MAP OF THE FAR EAST.
MAP OF THE ISLAND OF HONGKONG.
PLAN OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
PLAN OF BRITISH KOREA.

PLAN OF MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, VICTORIA.
PLAN OF MINE CONCESSIONS, SHANGAI.

PLAN OF YOKOHAMA.

PLAN OF MANILA.

PLAN OF SAIGON.

PLAN OF TOWN AND ENVIRONS OF SINGAPORE.

PLAN OF GEORGE TOWN, PENANG.

Among the other contents of the book are—
An Anglo-Chinese Calendar, Mean of Barometric
and Thermometer, Rainfall, &c.

A full Chronology of remarkable events since
the advent of the Emperor of Japan and Japan,
and of China, Political Facts, &c., with the date on which they fall.

Comparative Tables of Money, Weights, &c.

Scale of Hongkong Stamp Duties.

The Hongkong Postal Guide for 1888.

Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by
the Chambers of Commerce of Hongkong.

Shanghai Chair, Jirrikoh, and Boat Hire.

The APPENDIX consists of

Four Hundred Pages

of closely printed matter, to which reference is
constantly required by residents and those
having commercial or political relations with the
Countries embraced within the scope of the
CHRONICLE and DIRECTORY.

The Contents are too numerous to particularize in an Advertisement, but include—

TREATIES WITH CHINA—

Great Britain, Nanking, 1842

“ “ Tientsin, 1858

“ “ Canton, 1858

“ “ Opium Convention, 1858

Burmah & Tibet Convention, and all others not abrogated.

France, Tientsin, 1853, Convention, 1860.

“ “ Tientsin, 1858, Convention, 1860.

United States, Tientsin, 1858, Additional, 1869.

Peking, 1880.

Germany, Tientsin, 1861 and Peking, 1880.

Portugal, 1888.

Russia, Spain, Brazil, and Peru.

TREATIES WITH JAPAN—

Great Britain—Netherlands

United States—Corea

TREATIES WITH COREA

TREATIES WITH SIAM

TREATIES WITH ANNAM

TREATIES WITH CAMBODIA

CUSTOMS TARIFFE

Chinese Siamese

Japanese Corean

LEGAL

Orders in Council for Government of H. R. M.

Subjects in China and Japan, 1865, 1877,

1878, 1881, 1883, 1884, 1886, 1886.

Rules of I. B. M. Supreme and other Courts

in China, Japan &c., with New Table of Fees

New Tables of Consular Fees.

Code of Civil Procedure, Hongkong

Table of Hongkong Court Fees.

Admiralty Rules.

Prize Jurisdiction Act

Regulations for the Consular Courts of United

States in China.

Rules of Court of Admiralty at Shanghai

Chinese Passenger Act.

TRADE REGULATIONS

China Siam

Japan Customs Service, China

Shanghai Bonded Warehouses Regulations

Customs and Harbor Regulations for the dif-

ferent ports of China, Philippines, Siam, &

Portuguese Regulations

HONGKONG Charter of the Colony

Rules of Legislative Council

Port Regulations &c., &c., &c.

Orders may be sent to *Daily Press* Office, where

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Daily Press Office, January, 1889.

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PURE CARBOLIC SOAPS,
For Medicinal and Toilet use.
Guaranteed to be made from absolutely pure
“PHENOL” or CARBOLIC ACID.

These Soaps are specially prepared for use in
Tropical Climates and will be found most useful
in cleansing and purifying the skin, relieving
irritation and reducing the risk of contagion.

STRONG CARBOLIC,
in Strong Tablets, 100 grm.

WHITE, guaranteed to contain 20 per cent. of
Pure Carbolic Acid.

ROSE COLOUR. Do.

TRANSPARENT. Do.

MEDIUM. Do.

ROSE COLOUR, guaranteed to contain 10 per
cent. of Pure Carbolic Acid.

TRANSPARENT, Do.

TOILET SOAPS,
3 Tablets in a Box.

ROSE COLOUR, guaranteed to contain 5 per cent.
of Pure Carbolic Acid.

TRANSPARENT, Do.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, 12th March, 1889.

At No. 33, Queen's Road, on the 21st inst., the
wife of J. M. BUTLER, of a son.

HONGKONG, MARCH 22ND, 1889.

The completion of the railway from Tung-
hoo to Mandalay is an event of importance
not only to Burmah, but also indirectly to
China. The Chief Commissioner, in his
speech at Mandalay, on the opening of the
line, rightly described the railway as the first
gift of England to Upper Burmah. The ex-
King THEREWAN's capital is now connected
with the seaboard by rail, and its trade will
therefore have a quicker outlet. But a more
important fact in connection with the line is
that it will soon be carried on to Bhamo, thereby
opening up the communication of the
Province of Yunnan with Rangoon and its
affiliates. There is already a considerable
market at Bhamo, but this will be immensely
expanded when the railway reaches the
town. Produce from all parts of Yunnan,
and some probably even from distant Sze-
chuen will then naturally gravitate to
Bhamo, as it will find a ready way to large
markets than if sent overland to the
Chinese coast. Similarly, British and Indian
goods will get more largely distributed
through Yunnan. Ultimately, no doubt,
the Chinese will construct a railway from
Tengyueh to Bhamo, but this will be a difficult
and costly undertaking, and it will therefore
take many years before it is carried out.
The Chinese Government will only make
railways when they see the political and strate-
gical necessity thereof, and they will not
allow foreign capital to be employed in de-
veloping the resources of the Empire. Thus
the chances of creating new outlets for trade
in China are limited for the present. When
we have carried the iron road to her
frontier we shall have accomplished all
that is possible for foreign influence under
existing circumstances to do, and must then
be content to await developments. At all
events the facilities for distribution of the
produce of Yunnan will be greatest through
Bhamo and Rangoon, and whatever that
may prove to be worth it will no
doubt increase rapidly with the stimulus of
a ready market—we shall secure it. The
direct gain to this Colony will of course be
very small, but Burmah and India and Brit-
ish manufacturers will profit, and in these
days of competition any opening which will
be achieved could easily result in a
marked increase of our trade.

TONQUIN papers announce that Do-de Quan,
one of the two principal chiefs of the province
of Nao-niu, has tendered his submission, to
the Chinese Government.

The Agents (Messrs.) Adamson, Bell & Co.

inform us that the Canadian Pacific steamer
“Barataria,” left Vancouver for Japan and Hong-
kong on the 19th inst.

The Superintendent informs us that the
P. & O. Extra steamer “Tessera” from
London, left Singapore at 5 p.m. on the 19th inst.
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